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Culpepper Family History**

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**From:** Ruralmemaw@aol.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, December 26, 1999 11:48 PM  
**To:** emartin@igrl.lib.ms.us  
**Subject:** Warren E. CULPEPPER

Dear Else Martin,

Words cannot express the kind thanks to the help you extended to my uncle George Warren Culpepper and I during our recent visits to your library. With the help of you and your staff we were able to complete a lifelong dream of my uncle's to discover more about his dad, Ralph Harold Culpepper (son of Warren Ebenezer Culpepper) and family.

We had no idea when we were traveling that Uncle Warren had only days left in his life. Although we were aware that time was perhaps short due to heart problems, who could know that he would be gone only 4 days after we returned home.

Your genealogical section of your library is staffed by one of the most helpful that I have found in all my searchings. Without your help, my uncle would not have seen his dream fulfilled! We would never have know where to begin to look, and only had a very short time to spend on it.

Please accept this heartfelt thankyou for all your help. Those that are not family historians have no idea the importance of the records kept by libraries such as yours. At times such as Warren's it enables a closure to lifelong questions. And now I am able to pass this information on to my dad and Aunt too!

Should you find more information on Warren Ebenezer Culpepper June 24,1859 Ga to May13,1907 Tx, wife Eula Frances Shelfer Nov 1, 1865 Florida - Oct 12, 1904 Tx and family, I would be most appreciative to receive it. Records found in your library indicate that they were there at least June 1899 to Jan 1903. Any cost incurred, I will gladly reimburse!

Again, thank you to your and your staff for your assistance and kindness shown to us.  
Shirley Culpepper Brook  
P O Box 522  
Florence, Texas 76527

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TOPIC: HOMELIFE  
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TIME: 03/18 9:17 AM

TO: PATRICIA EDWARDS (CHCT35B)  
FROM: NELSON QUINN (TFGF85A)  
SUBJECT: MILLS TRACKERS

Pat, I have info from a book on S.C. history indicating a James Mills d.1756, his son William Mills b 1742 d.1827, and his son was Elam James Mills bapt in 1771 who migrated to Miss. Is this one of the Williams in question? This William was a blacksmith in St Marks Parish in S.C.

Nelson Quinn

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7:45 AM

TOPIC: HOMELIFE  
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TO: PATRICIA EDWARDS (CHCT35B)  
FROM: LEWIS GRIFFIN (TSFB11A)  
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*Culpepper File*

Pat, I can add a little on the Culpeppers. The elder John in the 1820 Hancock Co, MS census, was likely the son of John Culpepper and wife Agnes, of Washington Co, GA, died in 1808 leaving a will in a deed in Jones Co, GA, mentioning son John, etc. The John in Hancock was probably the one who received a passport from the Governor of GA to travel across Indian lands to MS. He had sons Sampson (no further info) and John William. John William, the younger John in 1820 Hancock County, married Keziah Taylor, died 18 Feb 1860 in Lawrence Co, MS. The couple had at least two sons, John Abb Culpepper (circa 1824-12 April 1863) who married Dorcas Ann Hood in Lawrence Co, MS in 1842, and William, who married Nancy. William was in 1850 Washington Parish, LA, 1860 Angelina Co, TX, 1870 DeWitt Co, TX, and 1880 Bosque Co, TX. The early John with wife Agnes, in GA, was the son of Joseph Culpepper and wife Martha, Joseph died 1745 in Edgecombe Co, NC. Joseph was the son of Robert Culpepper, who died 1743 in Norfolk Co, VA. Robert was the son of Henry Culpepper, the immigrant, and wife Elizabeth. Henry came to VA in 1653 and died in Norfolk Co in the mid-1670's. Will look forward to hearing from anyone who knows more about this line in MS or TX.

Lew in CA

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Pascagoula beach.

Mrs. C. H. Alley returned from the Indian Territory Thursday.

Mr. C. W. McNeill, of Chicago is sojourning at West Pascagoula.

The DEMOCRAT-STAR job office is turning out some handsome job work now.

The two masted schooner Moneta is undergoing repairs on Foster's shipways.

Miss Nettie Potter, of Mobile is visiting Miss Celeste Delmas on Pascagoula street.

Capt. O. A. Pedersen, of the schooner Traveler of Hardsboro visited friends here recently.

A well bred gentleman will not use profane language in the presence of refined ladies.

Rev. H. J. Cumpston will preach in the Presbyterian church Sunday at 3:30 p.m. Everybody cordially invited.

Scranton needs many other things besides deep water, which we hope to get in the sweet bye and bye.

Hogs are perambulating our streets without let or hindrance. The ordinance prohibiting this is not enforced.

Prof. Q. D. Sauls, principal of the Ocean Springs High School was in town Tuesday on business.

Mr. W. S. Cooley, who is engineering at Whitfield, Fla., is spending this week here with his family.

Saturday and Sunday we had good soaking rains, for which we should be thankful to the giver of all Good.

Capt. C. F. Peterson has just bought a good serviceable buggy horse for his family.

Mrs. Jas. J. Feore, accompanied by Miss Minnie Feore will leave Sunday for Quebec, Canada, where they will sojourn for the summer.

Misses Clara and Ella Wilcox and Lizzie Hall, from East Side, are visiting friends in the Gulf City this week.

Mrs. Lars Iverson and children, of Biloxi spent from Saturday until Monday afternoon, guests of Mrs. H. Colle.

Wednesday night of last week a baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Culpepper. Best wishes are extended.

"Night-hello" girls are not easy to get to take charge of the central office. The position is not a very enviable one for a nice, sweet girl to hold.

Col. E. W. Morrill and Mr. G. A. Swan, the well-known insurance magnates of the Gulf coast were visitors here this week.

Dr. John T. Lamkin, of Magnolia, this State, arrived here last Saturday and has opened a dental office in the Scranton State Bank building.

Mrs. J. D. Willis and daughters, Misses Gladys and Maud and Mrs. Isabel Willis of New Orleans arrived here Thursday on a visit to Mrs. J. I. Ford.

Miss Bertha Williams, the charming daughter of Mr. D. C. Williams of the

We are authorized to announce

J. D. MCKIE.

of Biloxi as a candidate for Floater Representative in the lower house of the Legislature from Jackson and Harrison counties, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

GEORGE P. HEWES.

of Mississippi City as a candidate for Floater Representative in the lower house of the Legislature from Jackson and Harrison counties, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION.

We are authorized to announce

D. D. COWAN.

as a candidate for Superintendent of Education of Jackson county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR CLERK OF THE COURTS.

We are authorized to announce

FRANK H. LEWIS.

as a candidate for re-election to the office of Clerk of the Circuit and Chancery Courts of Jackson county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce

J. D. MINOR.

as a candidate for Sheriff of Jackson county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

ROBERT J. LOUGHRIDGE.

as a candidate for Sheriff of Jackson county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce

ARTHUR H. SMITH.

as a candidate for Treasurer of Jackson county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce

WILLIE P. RAMSAY.

as a candidate for re-election to the office of Assessor of Jackson county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SUPERVISOR.

We are authorized to announce

JUDGE O. RANDALL.

as a candidate for re-election as a member of the Board of Supervisors of Jackson county from Beat 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

W. L. HIGHTOWER.

as a candidate for member of the Board of Supervisors of Jackson county from Beat 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

VOLNEY BROWN.

as a candidate for member of the Board of Supervisors of Jackson county from Beat 3, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

S. J. WALTERS.

as a candidate for member of the Board of Supervisors of Jackson county from Beat 2, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.  
(Third Beat.)

We are authorized to announce

ELLIS G. OVERSTREET.

Soft Shell Crabs a la Fitzsimmo  
Broiled Blue Fish to please.  
Prime Roast Rib au Jeffries.  
Vegetables in season.

Ice Cream a la Marbleheart.  
Cafe a la Admiral Dewey.

By using Kaufman's Pine  
Lemonade you save money and

The most complete and stylish  
of shirts, ties, shoes, hats and  
mer wear in town at city prices  
Jean & Mitchell Co.

FOR RENT.

A part of my house, on market  
fronting dummy line. May be  
as dwelling or store house.

MRS. L. W. SANBORN  
Pascagoula, M.

Go to your grocer and call  
bottle of Kaufman's Pine Apple  
Lemonade. It is one of the best soft  
drinks.

Mr. C. W. Garner, the up-to  
undertaker, has enlarged his u  
taker's establishment, and now  
ties the largest and most com  
stock of coffins and caskets in  
Mississippi. He is prepared to  
ish coffins from the very cheap  
the best. It will be to your int  
to see him before making arr  
ments elsewhere. Mr. Garner is  
completing a new hearse, whic  
be the finest on the coast.

Nice horse and buggy for sale.  
ply to Dudley Walker at Deje  
Mitchell Co.

A CARD FOUND YESTERD

Owing to an unusual rush of  
at home, I am about five days  
this year in visiting Scranton  
Moss Point than usual. But,  
before the 20th, I will be with you  
accident preventing.

Respectfully, yours,  
J. CONRAD SCOTT  
360 Dauphin St., Mobile, June 16,

THE ROAD LAWS FOR SALE  
The Road Laws, with the am  
ments, neatly printed in pamp  
form, can be had at the  
DEMOCRAT-STAR Office

ORANGE BLOSSOMS.  
On Wednesday afternoon at  
o'clock at St. Peter and Paul's Cath  
church, New Orleans, Mr. LOFTON  
Cox, of Scranton and Miss FANNIE  
WOLSCHE, of New Orleans were mar  
by Rev. Father Jos. J. Hanrahan.

WARREN'S SON - Ralph Harold Culpepper - born - 6/16/1899 - Demostoc



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the bench.

The following grand jury was em-  
panelled and sworn: Kila Platt, fore-  
man; George Matthews, J. D. Dale,  
W. K. Mead, J. W. King, J. F. Ben-  
nett, W. E. Alford, A. A. Vaughan,  
W. S. Brakefield, D. L. McLaurin, T.  
T. Garner, E. A. J. Comb, Martin  
Casey, C. A. Young, John Fletcher,  
P. A. McAlister, J. D. Clark, James  
Riley, W. Howell and James W.  
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Judge Niles made a magnificent ad-  
dress to the grand jury. Compli-  
ments on every side were heard, and  
it was put down as a very able effort.  
He reminded the jurors that they had  
a sacred duty to perform; they should  
not indict a man simply because he  
was an objectionable neighbor; they  
were to listen to the evidence and re-  
ly upon that; they were there to in-  
quire into the actions of counterfeit-  
ers, to learn who has been selling  
whiskey without a license, to dis-  
cover who has been pilfering the  
mails, to ferret out the depredations  
on public lands—in short to indict all  
violators of the United States laws.  
It was not fair for one man to have  
his license for selling whiskey con-  
spicuously displayed and another  
within a stone's throw running a  
blind tiger under an organized system  
of perjury. The law reads that the  
license must be in a conspicuous place  
and the court was being governed by  
the law. The moral tone of the com-  
munity is lowered if the blind tiger is  
unmolested. The man who goes  
through the country shooting win-  
dows out of churches and school-  
houses, with a bottle of cheap poison  
in either pocket is usually the pro-  
duct of unlicensed whiskey shops. It  
was the duty of the jury to find out  
where he obtained the intoxicant, and

## CITY OF SCRANTON.

[Official.]

Scranton, Miss., Feb. 4, 1902.

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of  
the City of Scranton met in their office  
on above date in regular meeting.

The mayor and a quorum were pre-  
sent.

Report of officers received as follows:

I. P. Delmas, Jan. fines and costs  
assessed ..... \$ 62 80

Report of Marshal and Tax Collector  
for month of January:

F. L. Lindinger, Marshal collected fines  
and costs ..... \$ 41 20

F. L. Lindinger, Marshal appeal  
cases ..... 82 22

F. L. Lindinger privileges ..... 41 27

" " road dues ..... 12 00

" " city taxes ..... 1,621 17

" " electric lights ..... 412 82

" " water rent ..... 2 50

Report of F. D. Becht, Treasurer, for  
the month ending Jan. 31:

Balance general fund ..... \$2,350 77

" school fund ..... 813 19

" street fund ..... 99 94

" special bond fund ..... 1,456 30

working fund ..... 709 42

Claims allowed and ordered paid:

SCHOOL FUND.

E. J. Janz, insurance 5 years  
school house ..... 54 00

Battle Cooper, janitor ..... 5 50

Mrs. C. F. Peterson, rent ..... 7 00

J. Y. Morgan, 2 bills, fuel ..... 5 75

F. L. Novel, blackboard ..... 1 00

STREET FUND.

Wm. Novel, 105 bbls shells ..... 5 25

M. Guichard, 142 bbls shells ..... 7 10

V. Bosarge, 172 bbls shells ..... 8 60

B. Culpepper, hauling 419 bbls  
shells ..... 12 50

J. Y. Morgan, horse, cart and  
driver ..... 2 75

John Streeter, labor ..... 6 00

Will Smith, labor ..... 1 88

A. Hicks, labor ..... 4 50

L. Rice, labor ..... 1 68

## IT MAKES SOME DRY COUNTIES

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 15.—The Dunn  
bill providing for the restriction of  
the liquor traffic in towns of less than  
500 population without day and night  
police protection has been approved  
by Governor Longino.

The passage of this measure is  
largely due to the efforts of Rev. F.  
Q. Trigg, of Tunica county, a member  
of the North Mississippi Conference  
of the Methodist church, who has  
been in the city since the opening of  
the legislative session working in the  
interest of the bill. He framed the  
original draft, which was introduced  
in the senate by Mr. C. C. Dunn, by  
request. In discussing the effects of  
this new law, Mr. Trigg said:

"The effect of the bill will be to  
completely abolish saloons in Quit-  
man, Issaquena and Sharkey counties,  
which are now in the 'wet' column.

It will also leave only two saloons in  
Tunica county, both being in the  
town of Tunica, which contains over  
500 population. It will also close 18  
saloons in Washington county, and to  
a great extent effect the saloon busi-  
ness in all the 'wet' counties by  
closing up the liquor shops in the  
small towns. It is a long step toward  
State prohibition, and one of the best  
pieces of legislation accomplished  
during the present session."

With last week's issue the PASCA-  
GOULA DEMOCRAT-STAR closes its  
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